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HYDRATE OF 5-[4-[2-(N-METHYL-N-(2-

PYRIDIL)AMINO)ETHOXY]BENZYL]THIAZOLIDINE-2,4-DIONE

MALEIC ACID SALT

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 30, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.